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ERRORS OF $4,443.27 REVEALED IN THE RECORDER'S AND TREASURER'S OFFICES

RECORDER HAD SURPLUS AS NO DEPUTY CLERK HIRE ALLOWANCE HAD BEEN MADE BY COURT.

BACK TAX COLLECTIONS

Caused the Errors in the County Treasurer's Office—Recommends Several New Books Secured for the Treasurer.

In the report of the audit of the offices of Recorder of Deeds, Treasurer, public administrator and county surveyor, which is published today, errors amounting to $4,443.27 were revealed. Of that amount, the recorder, Dan R. Baker, was charged with having a surplus of $2,242.68, but there had been no allowance for deputy clerk hire made on the minutes of the county court records. Mr. Baker was advised by the auditor to ask the county court for an allowance of this surplus as deputy hire so that the books can be closed in conformity to the auditing committee.

The balance of the amount, $2,200.59, is from the audit of county treasurers. The report states Sam H. Williams left a balance due of $564.91, W. R. Tilson with $1,400.28, and James W. Blagg with $235.40. All of these sums resulted from back tax collections. The report states the back tax collection report is incomplete. An examination of the records is said will reveal that these errors will be cleared away, such examination being made today.

Several recommendations were made in the report as to books needed in the county treasurer's office and also as to posting in a ledger the fees received by the recorder.

The balance of the report of the audit follows:

County Treasurer

We found the records in the Treasurer's office very incomplete and it was with much difficulty that we were able to make an audit thereof.

The records for the years 1917, 1918, 1919 and 1920, were in bad condition, parts of which it was impossible to read, and some could only be interpreted by comparison with the County Clerk's records.

We found that the Treasurer did not file a copy of the abstract of monthly collections. We recommend that the court require this to be done in order that the County Clerk may have a complete record in his office from which to check up the treasurer on all collection. We recommend that the Treasurer and ex-officio collector keep the following records and accounts:

Cash books which shall start with the amount of money on deposit in the several banks, together with cash in the office, and which should contain a complete record of all money received and disbursed and should be balanced at the close of business each day.

General ledger which should contain a complete record of all County accounts, such as the salary, pauper, jury, contingent, bridge, permanent school, foreign insurance, railroad, telegraphing, and telephone, school money and other money that is disbursed by the county court.

Township trustees book in which should be kept by townships, a separate account of all money collected for township purposes.

District school book in which should be opened an account with each district in the County and any money collected for school purposes shall be charged to the district for which it was collected, and credit be taken for same when it has been turned over to the township trustee or treasurer of an independent district and their receipt has been filed.

Also a book should be kept containing miscellaneous accounts, such as collections on delinquent drainage taxes, delinquent city taxes, account with the State as to all money collected for state purposes, and any other account not included in the books previously mentioned.

We wish to call the Treasurer's attention to the payment of outstanding county warrants, mention of which has already been made under caption of "County Court," and opinion on which is found in S. W. R. 63, Mo. 390. We recommend that the Treasurer adhere strictly to the law in this matter.

We also wish to call the Treasurer's attention to Section 12975, R. S. 1919, as to the transferring of funds, heretofore mentioned in the report on County Court, and recommend that she follow the Statutes in this matter as she is not bound by the order of the Court if said order is not within the law.

Accounts should be closed on the last day of the month before settlement, a more detailed statement of which has already been set out in the report on County Clerk.

Section 9586, R. S. 1919, designates that all money received by the County Treasurer, and all collections made as Ex-Officio Collector shall be deposited in the County Depository, and we suggest that the Treasurer follow this section for her own protection as well as for the protection of the County.

Section 11034, R. S. 1919, recites that it shall be the duty of the Treasurer when any fees which have been turned over by County Officials for other parties, have not been called for or demanded within one year from the time they were turned over, to turn the same over to the general revenue fund of the County which we recommend should be done.

Section 4199, R. S. 1919, recites that all criminal cost fees remaining in the hands of the treasurer uncalled for, that part of which has been paid by the State shall be returned to the state, and that part paid by the county shall be turned over to the county revenue fund.

We find that the present treasurer has simply been following the precedent and custom heretofore established by the preceding treasurers, presuming the same to be correct in that they were never questioned, and deserves no criticism or censure for same, but we suggest that she adopt the recommendations made in this report and bring her office to a higher degree of efficiency.

Recorder

We experienced some difficulty in checking up the fees of the Recorder as a large part of them had not been posted in a ledger but had to be taken from the day book item by item, and we suggest that the Recorder post his ledger to date and keep same posted in order that it may be checked readily.

Section 10591, recites as follows:

Surplus fees: The recorder of each county in which the offices of Recorder of Deeds and Clerk of the Circuit Court are separate, shall keep a full, true and faithful account of all fees of every kind received, and make a report thereof every year to the County Court; and all the fees received by him, over and above the sum of $4,000 for each year of his official term, after paying out of such fees and emoluments such amounts for deputies and assistants in his office as the County Court may deem necessary, shall be paid into the County Treasury to form a part of the jury fund of the County.

We found no reports had been filed with the County Court as provided in this section; also the County Court had made no allowance for deputy hire. We found that the fees collected in the year 1915 amounted to $4,209.91; in the year 1916, $4,187.20; in the year 1917, $4,170; in the year 1918, $3,516.98; in the year 1919, $4,457.66; in the year 1920, $5,227.01; in the year 1921, $3,835.60. The year 1915, 1916, 1917, 1919, and 1920 all show a surplus amounting in the aggregate to $2,242.68, and the county court having made no allowance for deputy hire, they are entitled to recover this amount from the recorder.

Public Administrator

We were unable to find any records kept by the public administrator.

County Surveyor and Ex-Officio Highway Engineer.

The amount of work done by these offices was so small that we did not consider it necessary to make a schedule of same and have nothing to report thereon.

County Depository

In checking the record we found the condition in regard to the county depository as follows:

At the May term of court, 1921, the court received bids for a county depository, four banks bidding. The Nodaway Valley Bank of Maryville bidding 3⅛ per cent per annum on daily balances, was the highest and best bidder and was designated by the court as the county depository and ordered to give bond as such. A search of the records failed to show any such bond had been filed and upon inquiry we found no bond had been filed and the county money was without protection. We immediately called the court's attention to this matter

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NODAWAY COUNTY 1ST AT ST. JOSEPH

MAURICE BERG'S CALF WINS SHOW SWEEPSTAKES

THREE OTHER WINNERS

Stock Is Being Sold This Afternoon—Lively Competition Among Packers

Nodaway County took several prizes at the third annual district baby beef show held in St. Joseph this week. The big prize and the highest honors went to an 11-year-old boy of Nodaway County, Maurice Berg, who won the sweepstakes prize for all breeds on an Aberdeen-Angus steer after taking first premium in that particular breed. This calf, of the much desired "blocky" type, won for its owner $55 in cash premiums and a gold watch. Of this amount $25 was the sweepstakes premium, $25 the breed premium and $5 and the gold watch special prizes offered by the American Aberdeen-Angus Breeders' association.

Young Berg won first in the Nodaway county calf show at Maryville last week. The animal is a purebred, 17 months old and had been fed for 180 days on corn, oats, molasses feed, hay and grass. During the time on feed he made a net gain in weight of 470 pounds.

Laverne Butts of Nodaway County won second on Aberdeen-Angus and Max Wray of Nodaway County, sixth on the Shorthorn. Charles D. Bellows of Maryville judged the Shorthorns and Hal T. Hooker of Maryville the Aberdeen-Angus classes.

The prize winners from Nodaway County follow:

Sweepstakes

Maurice Berg, Nodaway county, on Angus steer.

Aberdeen-Angus

First and sweepstakes, Maurice Berg.

Second, Laverne Butts, Nodaway county.

Shorthorns

Sixth, Max Wray, Nodaway county.

Eighth, Dale Acklin, Nodaway county.

Institute of American Meat Packers special breed medal, Max Wray, Nodaway County.

The big event on the pragram today is the auction sale of baby beeves in the purebred sales pavilion, beginning about 2 o'clock. W. Lee Daily will serve as auctioneer. All of the prize winners will be sold in the order of the judge's awards, following which the other calves fed by the boys and girls in the eight county clubs will be sold. Owing to the attractive quality of the offerings, it is probable that there will be lively competition for the show animals between packers, city butchers and St. Joseph hotels and restaurants and that good prices will be realized to further reward the young beef makers.

While the cattle were being judged, F. R. Marcell of Maryville, took a series of motion pictures of the animals, exhibitors and crowd of spectators. It is planned to show the completed pictures at motion picture houses in the various counties competing and probably at some St. Joseph theater.

County agent, Roy Kinnaird was in attendance at the show.

WANT TO DEBATE THE COUNTY UNIT BILL

A Challenge Issued by P. C. Yeary and B. Eickholt to the State Teachers College

In a letter to The Democrat-Forum from B. Eickholt of Ravenwood, he issued a challenge to the State Teachers College for a debate to discuss the County School unit bill. The letter follows:

"A challenge for a debate to discuss the County School unit bill. This offer is made to the State Teachers College, Maryville, by P. C. (Doc) Yeary and B. Eickholt. The State Teachers College to be for the bill and Yeary and Eickholt against the bill."

PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT OFFERS AMNESTY TO REBELS

Dublin, Oct. 4—The irish provisional government today issued a proclamation granting amnesty to all of the revels who lay down their arms by October 15. It is believed that the offer will make serious inroads in the DeValera irregular forces but is regarded as unlikely that the leaders will surrender.

CITY COMMISSIONERS HOLD REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

$151.45 Cents in Fines by Police Department—License for Yeo Bros. —Financial Report

The city commissioners held last night their regular monthly meeting and transacted routine business.

The report of the police department showed that there had been six cases in police court during the month of September and that $151.45 in fines had been collected.

Yeo Bros. were granted a license to run their pool hall with six tables for six months.

The following balances were in the various city funds, according to the financial report:

General—$5,247.12
Street—$156.94
Old water bond—$4,393.08
Old water bond interest—$3,622.91
Second water bond—$103.46
Second water bond interest—$1,296.72
Street lighting—$4,708.94
Water department—$1,799.79
Library—$1,372.89

GIANTS WIN FROM YANKS 3 TO 2

Winners Score All Their Runs in Eighth Inning—Babe Ruth Fanned Out in First.

The New York Giants won from the Yanks by a score of 3 to 2 in the opening game of the world's series this afternoon. The Giants scored their three runs in the eighth inning and the Yanks made theirs in the sixth and seventh.

The batteries for the Giants were Nehf and Ryan and the catcher, Snyder and for the Yanks it was Bush and Hoyt, and the catcher was Schang.

Babe Ruth fanned in the first inning. He was the first man up for the Yanks.

The next game will be tomorrow afternoon on the Yanks' home grounds.

The Yanks got seven hits and made no errors. The Giants got eleven hits and made three errors.

JESS HATCHER CASE IN CIRCUIT COURT TODAY

On Charge of Driving Car While Intoxicated—Flowers Was Acquitted.

The case of the state against Jess Hatcher on a charge of driving a motor car while intoxicated was on trial in circuit court today. Hatcher is charged with being the driver of a car which was wrecked near the Shambargar farm near Graham last July in which accident Merle Buie of near Barnard was killed. It was stated two kegs of corn whiskey were found near the scene of the accident which was thought to have been in the car before the accident.

The father of Merle Buie, Charles Buie, was the first witness on the stand.

The jury hearing the case is composed of Roy Jackson, O. E. Bradley, Ed Egley, Ben F. DeWitt, Fred Gray, George H. Holbrook, Charles Spire, John Walker, Harvey Coakley, R. L. Carter, Ira Hodges and Fred Rodgers.

Maurice Carter who was indicted by the grand jury on a charge of gaming pleaded not guilty and bail was fixed at $200.

The jury in the case of Frank Flowers who was tried yesterday on a charge of carrying concealed weapon returned a verdict of not guilty after being out three hours. It was understood the jury stood 11 to 1 for acquittal on the first ballot, then 9 to 3, and finally acquittal. The verdict of the jury was: "We, the jury find the defendant not guilty on both the second and third count of the information."

J. W. Hall on a charge of violation of the prohibition law was granted a change of venue from this county to Gentry County.

Vinnie Bird vs. John Bird, divorce, a decree was granted.

ORGANIZE MEN'S BIBLE CLASS AT EAGLEVILLE CHURCH

The Rev R. E. Snodgrass, pastor of the First Christian Church, and a party of men in the church motored to Eagleville Monday night where they assisted in the organization of a Men's Bible class. A banquet was given preceding the program which included talks by Edward Gray, A. L. Nash, L. R. Strader and W. E. Goforth. Others in the party were Price Doyle, Ernest Lunsford, Floyd Lunsford and Harry Lyle.

EX-SERVICE MEN TO HEAD PARADES

ONE FOR FLOATS AND OTHER FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN

TO DECORATE WINDOWS

D. A. R. and Twentieth Centuy Club Prizes Do Not Conflit with Other Prizes

Ex-Service men of Nodaway County are to head the parades that will be held in Maryville as features of the Nodaway County School Day October 11, it was announced today. They will be in uniform and will carry banners of the ex-service men's organizations. There will be two parades, one for the floats and the other for the school children of the county.

Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools, visited yesterday a number of the business houses in Maryville and asked if they would arrange to decorate their winodws with autumn decorations. He said that he met a fine response and that many decorations of autumn leaves and other things will be put up.

Some confusion has arisen over the prizes offered by the Daughters of the American Revolution and by the Twentieth Century Club. Some of the teachers have gotten the impression that if their schools compete for these prizes they will not be eligible to compete for the other prizes. Mr. Somerville says that competing for either the D. A. R. or the Twentieth Century Club will in no way conflict with competing for the other prizes.

Following is the program:

All floats will come to the Franklin school, on North Main street, get entrance cards and be ready for the parade, not later than 12:00 noon.

10:30 a. m. Nodaway County Band will march from corner of Second and Main around the square and to band stand.

11:00 a. m. Music by the Nodaway County Band.

12:00 noon Nodaway County Band will march in a body to the Main street M. E. Church, where they will all eat dinner together. The dinner will be in charge of Chas. R. Gardner, head of the Conservatory of Music, at the State Teachers College.

Picnic dinners of the rural school children, teachers and patrons, will be on the court house lawn, where the Smith-Hughes class of the Maryville High School, under the direction of Misses Elizabeth Leet and Katherine Carpenter, will serve hot cocoa free.

1:00 p. m. Concert by the Nodaway County Band.

2:00 p. m. Parade of rural school floats, under the direction of C. C. Hellmers, chairman of parades committee, and the parade will be lead by ex-service men of Nodaway County in uniform. (Movies of the floats will be taken during the parade.)

3:00 p. m. Parade of rural school children, from the corner of First and Main north on Main, under the direction of C. C. Hellmers chairman of parades committee, lead by ex-service men of Nodaway County in uniform. (Movies of children will be taken in parade.)

3:30 p. m. Exhibition Drill, by the DeMolay Drill Patrol.

4:00 p. m. Awarding of the prizes at the band stand by Uel W. Lamkin, President of the State Teachers College.

7:00 p. m. Special program of music, and stunts by the High Schools of Nodaway County.

The Committees for Nodaway County School Day are:

Entertainment Committee, H. L. Raines, Chairman. To see the children have a good time.

Float and Parade Committee, C. C. Hellmers, Chairman. To have charge of Float parade and children's parade.

Hot Cocoa Committee, L. L. St. Clair, Principal of the Maryville High School Chairman. Cocoa will be served by the girls of the Smith-Hughes class, under the direction of Misses Elizabeth Leet and Katherine Carpenter, instructors in the Smith-Hughes class of home economics.

Music Committee, Chas. R. Gardner, Chairman, Dean of Music of the State Teachers College.

Decorations, Leslie G. Somerville and Billy Burr.

Policing and clearing streets—Mayor F. P. Robinson.

Judges to be selected by Bert Cooper and Leslie G. Somerville, County Superintendent.

Committee on band stand, and ground arrangements—E. C. Phares Lumber Co., and Curfman Brothers.

Ice water—Holt Supply Co.

"Movies" Committees, Ralph Marcell, Chairman.

Committtee in charge of Special Prizes awarded from entry cards filled out by teachers, D. E. Hotchkin, Chairman.

GRAND JURY MAKES REPORT TO COURT

COUNTY FARM WAS DECLARED TO BE IN GOOD SHAPE.

REPAIRS FOR COURTHOUSE

County Jail Is in Unsatisfactory Condition, and Part of Jail Is not Used—Needs Cleaning.

The report of the grand jury of their visit to the county farm, the county jail, the health department and the court house, was made this afternoon to Judge John Dawson of the circuit court.

Conditions at the county farm were described as good and Superintendent George E. Brown and wife were commended for their management, industry and fidelity.

The county jail was stated to be in an unsatisfactory condition. The grand jury recommended that the part of the jail not used be made clean, safe from fire, and sanitary, and also that part of the jail in which the prisoners are kept be either repaired or condemned.

Repairs to the court house in the nature of plastering, papering, tiling the floors and repairing window casings were recommended. The report states aside from minor repairs needed, the court house was found in fair condition.

The grand jury is expected to adjourn this evening. It is not known how many true bills were returned.

The report of the grand jury follows:

Hon. Judge John Dawson:

We, the Grand Jury, duly empanneled, beg to report as follows: On October 4, 1922, we visited and inspected the County Poor Farm. We found there on, that the inmates are receiving good and humane treatment, are well fed and clothed, and that those in charge are attentive to their duties. We find that plenty of hogs and cattle are produced on the farm to supply the needed meat, and that a good surplus of hogs has been marketed. We also find that plenty of vegetables produced on the farm are in storage in the basement.

We especially commend the superintendent, George E. Brown and his wife, for their management, industry, and fidelity. On inspecting the buildings we found that the rooms, halls and basement are kept clean and sanitary; that the inmates are well clothed, and have plenty of bed clothing. We find that the roof of the main building is in condition so that the water therefrom has caused much plastering to fall. We recommend that this matter receive attention.

For safety and service we recommend that some system of electric lighting be installed.

Court House.

We, the grand jury, upon inspection of the court house find that the rooms and halls and basement are kept in a clean and sanitary condition. We recommend that necessary repairs in the nature of plastering, papering, tiling the floors, and repairing window casings be done. Aside from minor repairs needed, we find the court house in fair condition.

County Jail

We, the Grand Jury, duly empanneled and sworn, beg to report on the County Jail as follows: On October 4, 1922, we in a body, visited the County Jail. We find conditions therein, highly unsatisfactory. The greater part thereof, because of defects, is not in use, and is dirty unsanitary and unsafe. We recommend that said unused part of the jail be made clean, safe from fire, and sanitary, at once, and so kept.

We recommend that the part of the jail in which the prisoners are kept be either repaired or condemned.

We find that the residence portion of the jail is clean and well kept.

Report On Health Office

We also inspected the County Health Office and found the office clean, sanitary, and so far as we can find, effective.

Mrs. Fayette Bellows and daughter, Mary Jane, went to St. Joseph this morning to spend the day.

REPORT ARMISTICE PLAN AGREED ON

ISMET PASHA SAYS HE WILL MAINTAIN PEACE.

OBSTACLES EXPECTED

But It Is Certain That Progress Is Being Made—Meeting Yesterday Preliminary.

London, Oct. 4—Ismet Pasha, representative of Mustapha Kemal Pasha, and the allied general are reported to have reached an armistice agreement at Mudania and to have signed a protocol, according to an exchange telegraph dispatch from Constantinople this afternoon. The British foreign office had no official confirmation of the erport and Paris advices earlier in the day state that negotiations were postponed owing to delay in some of the Greek delegates in reaching the scene.

Constantinople, Oct. 4—It is officially announced this afternoon that Ismet Pasha, representative of the Turkish nationalists, agreed to maintain peace and the armistice proposals of the allies at Mudania. No serious difficulty is anticipated in reaching an ultimate settlement.

Constantinople, Oct. 4—Progress is being made towards the ground work for the armistice in the Near East, according to word from Mudania today. Only the preliminary meeting was held Tuesday but an informal gathering among the delegates has been held since then. Obstacles are feared from the attitude of Colonel Plastiras of the Greek army. He is instructed by the provisional government at Athens to object to any proposals calling for withdrawal of the Greeks from Thrace.

GREECE WILLING TO LET TURKS HAVE PART OF THRACE

But Delegates are Instructed to Notify Enemy That Territory Will Be Defended at Any Cost.

London, Oct. 4—Former Premier Venizelos of Greece, now representing the revolutionary government, declared to the British government that Turkey may have the ultimate destiny of Eastern Thrace, it was learned today. The Greeks had contended that they must occupy all of Thrace and that the Turks should not be allowed to gain a foothold in any part of the zone.

Paris, Oct. 4.—The Greek delegates at the Near East armistice conference have been instructed to notify Turkey and the Allies that the Greek revolutionary government in Athens will defend Thrace at any cost, said a Constantinople dispatch today.

London, Oct. 4.—Elutherios Venizelos, representative of the Greek revolutionary government, today requested the United States through Ambassador George Harvey to support the Greek proposal for the allied occupation of Thrace until the Christians have evacuated the disputed territory.

HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA HOLDS ASSEMBLY TODAY

Mrs. St. Clair Sang and Mrs. Schnabel Played Obligato—Roscoe Heifner Spoke.

The orchestra of the Maryville High School, directed by Loren J. Schnabel, gave an assembly this morning. A number of musical numbers were given and Roscoe Heifner of the J. J. Heifner Sons Agency gave a short talk on how to prevent fires in schools.

Following the talk the orchestra played four selections, making its first public appearance at school this fall.

Mrs. L. L. St. Clair sang two Indian solos, accompanied by Miss Lucile Airy, Mrs. Loren J. Schnabel playing a violin obligato.

A trio composed of Alyce Allen, Mary Holt and Lucile Gaugh sang several selections. These three girls were members of the high school quartet of last year which won the song cup for the Northwest Missouri district.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Thursday; continued warm.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

Democratic Ticket

For Senator in Congress—James A. Reed.

For Representative in Congress—William E. Spratt.

For State Superintendent Schools—Charles A. Lee.

For Judge Supreme Court (Division No. One)—William T. Ragland.

For Judge Supreme Court (Division No. 2) (two to elect)—Robert F. Walker, John T. White.

For Judge of Circuit Court, 4th Circuit—John M. Dawson.

For State Representative—William Job.

For Presiding Judge County Court—Henry Heitman.

For Judge County Court (South District)—Grant Comer.

For Judge County Court (North District)—Clyde Melvin.

For Clerk of County Court—Mrs. Cora Bell Clary.

For Clerk of Circuit Court—Virgil L. Rathbun.

For Prosecuting Attorney—William G. Sawyers.

For Recorder of Deeds—Mrs. Mamie E. Clardy.

For Judge Probate Court—Jesse F. Robertson.

I hereby announce myself as Republican candidate for the office of Probate Judge of Nodaway County, subject to the decision of the voters at November election.

G. B. ROSEBERRY.

Forumettes

The man who tries to
Do his fellow men
Always imagines they
Are trying to do him.

Some men never get interested in religion until the old family doctor calls in a couple of other medics for consultation.

One of the things which we can't understand is how a woman can be persuaded to buy beauty remedies from a peddlar who has a face about as attractive as a muddy barnyard on a rainy day. Perhaps the answer lies in fact that men will buy hair tonic from a bald barber.

We went into a haberdashers the other day to buy a cap. We tried on several which were marked our size. One would be too small while another would be too large and it was some time before we found one which would fit. The salesman told us they have trouble with the sizes of hats varying as well as caps.

One of our traveling salesmen friends was telling his experiences in a little hotel. The bed bugs nearly ate him up and the next morning he complained to the proprietor. "Well" replied the landlord, "you should be glad that they did not bark like dogs before they bit you and wake you up.

A lot of men's word is like an echo a hollow mockery.

Uncle Abner says all the world loves except in the case where the man loves himself.

Like the "Tariff for revenue only" we have reformers for the same purpose.

The court house cynic, says the politicians may come and the politicians may go but the taxes go on forever.

It usually takes a man with a lot of sand to get a girl with a lot of rocks

Some people smile in a way that makes you think they are bestowing a favor.

Louise, the stenographer says, it is wise never to make friends of fools or fools of your friends.

Man is a funny creature, he will knock his own car but let another man speak ill of it and he gets mad, the man at the garage tells us.

Vagrant Musings.

There is one thing which they have never been able to unionize-idle curiosity. It always works overtime.

If there was nothing to worry about there would be some people who would worry because there was not.

We praise economy but dislike a tightwad.

We all would live long yet none of us would grow old.

The real Christian era will come when more men wear their pants out on the knees than the seat.

Foolish Things We Once Did.

Wore shoes which came to a point and looked like racing shells stripped for a boat race.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads

STATE-OWNED GRAIN LIFTS FOR KANSAS

Public Warehouse System Is Talked To Aid Farmers Marketing Crops.

Topeka, Kan., Oct. 4.—State-owned grain elevators!

That's the new plan being "fathered" by Clyde M. Reed, chairman of the State Public Utilities Commission.

Reed would establish big elevators in Wichita, Hutchinson, Salina, Great Bend, Wellington and other places.

The plan, it is said, will be checked up to the next legislature.

Farmers' organizations that are seeking better market facilities will be asked to get back of the plan.

Reed says:

"I believe there should be built in the wheat belt elevators with sufficient capacity to relieve the glut which now attends the marketing of every crop.

"These elevators should be public warehouses where the individual of the co-operative society could store grain and receive a certificate which would be collateral at the bank.

"There seems to be no other way but for the States to build and operate these elevators.

"To-day, and this is true in some degree every year, the Kansas farmer is overwhelming the transportation facilities of this State—and they are excellent—with the demand for cars to remove the grain at a price that means a loss to him. This is largely involuntary.

"The farmer can't help it under our present system.

"But if the first big wheat movement was partly to nearby central storage places the present transportation facilities would suffice.

"On the average the Kansas wheat growers collectively lost from $15,000,000 to $25,000,000 a year from the marketing conditions which produce a glut on the market."

BABE RUTH, BOB MEUSEL WILL PLAY AT TARKIO

Yankee Stars Pitted Against Each Other

Babe Ruth and Bob Meusel, star outfielders of the New York Yankees, champions of the American league, who will battle the New York Giants in this fall's world's series, are to appear in Tarkio, Mo., Oct. 21 in an exhibition game arranged there, D. J. Thomas, manager of the Tarkio baseball club, announced yesterday.

Hamburg, Iowa, will pit its club against the Tarkio machine and Meusel will play with Hamburg. Babe Ruth will play with the Tarkio tribe, according to present plans.

The presence of these two famous home run clouters should result in a big crowd witnessing the struggle. Although Ruth was dethroned as the home run monarch of the major leagues by Rogers Hornsby this year, he can still crack 'em a mile, as his 1922 record shows.

Great Chicago Fire Started Fifty-One Years Ago, October 9

On October 9, fifty-one years ago, Mrs. O'Leary of Chicago carelessly left a lighted lantern in the barn. Her cow kicked it over, setting fire to the barn and starting a conflagration which swept the city.

The Chicago fire of 1871 caused a greater loss than had any previous fire in the history of the United States. It has only been surpassed since then by the San Francisco fire of 1906. Two hundred persons lost their lives in the Chicago fire and 70,000, (about one person in every five of the population) were rendered homeless. The flames raged over two thousand acres, destroying more than 17,000 buildings and entailing a property loss of approximately one third of the city's entire value, or about $190,000,000.

The loss in this great fire was appalling but our country suffers a greater fire loss every year at the present time. It is estimated that last year the lives of more than 15,000 persons were lost and property valued at approximately one half a billion dollars was destroyed by fire, many of them preventable.

To reduce this tremendous annual destruction it was decided eleven years ago to set aside a day to be known as National Fire Prevention Day, October 9, the anniversary of the starting of the Chicago conflagration, seemed to be a suitable date, and by proclamation of the President of the United States and many state governors, it has been observed for that purpose.

One day is such a limited time to give to the subject that a period of seven days ending October 9, has recently been set aside as Firse Prevention Week.

Nation wide attention is being given this year to the observation of the week. Governmental and state officials recoginize the need and have lent their assistance to make the fire prevention movement successful. Chamber of Commerce throughout the country, at the request of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, are taking a leading part in conducting special activities designed to acquaint every man, woman and child with the necessity of personal care for the prevention of fires.

Dr. Sidney Lawson, Chronic, Nervous, Stomach, Blood, Rectal and Urinary Diseases. Rock Island Bldg., Sixth and Edmond St., St. Joseph, Mo.

RACE HORSE "FAN" TOO BUSY TIMING FIGHTERS TO WATCH THE CONTEST

Bucyrus, Ohio, Oct. 4.—A race horse fan attended a boxing bout. It was his first visit to the squared ring.

No sooner did the gong sound than Mr. R. H. F. took out his stop watch. Not until the bell rang, ending the round, did he take his eyes off his watch. As he did so he exclaimed: "Just eight seconds over three minutes."

Although he looked at the ring at intervals he did not seem able to overcome the habit of "clocking 'em" while the fight was on.

One local citizen who sat alongside him insisted that the race horse fan "didn't see two rounds out of the twenty-four in four matches.

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BEST IN DESIGN
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We carry a full line of MEN'S, WOMEN'S and CHILDREN'S SHOES; made of the best leathers on the market at prices lower than for the quality. Nothing will please us more than to give us a look before you buy your shoes.

We have an experienced shoe man in charge of our shoe department.

Base Ball

During the Clearmont Picnic

Thursday, Friday *and* Saturday

Clearmont will close one of the most successful seasons with these three games.

Thursday, Oct. 5—New Market, Ia. vs Clearmont.

Batteries—New Market, Boyer and Smith; Clearmont, Knuckles and Watson.

Friday, Oct. 6—Elmo vs. Clearmont.

Batteries—LaMar and Huffstetter; Clearmont, Beck and Watson.

Saturday, Oct. 7—Wilcox vs. Clearmont.

Batteries—Wilcox, Kinnen and Tobin; Clearmont, Knuckles and Black.

F. C. Newlon will umpire the games.

The New Wraps for Autumn

Are Just About the Most Wonderful That Have Been Created in Many Years.

The luxurious fabrics, beautifully fur-trimmed, many are self-trimmed and such beautiful fabrics as Fashona, Valdyne, Marvella, Panvelane, Arabella, Mariana, Gorona, Marleen, Normandy, etc.

The new cloaks show wider sleeves, drop waist lines, and the fashionable side closings in keeping with the newest note from New York and Paris.

Never before in our history have we shown such a wonderful collection of ladies', misses' and children's cloaks.

Prices range from $10.00 to $150.00.

You will make a mistake if you buy a cloak before you see our beautiful assortment.

Haines

The Biggest Little Store in the United States.

JOHN H. PUELICHER ELECTED PRESIDENT OF BANKERS

Harding Voices Appreciation of what Financial Institutions Have Done

New York, Oct. 4—John H. Puelicher President of the Marshall and Isley Bank of Milwaukee today was elected president of the American Bankers Association for the ensuing year.

New York, Oct. 4—President Harding in his message to the American Bankers Association convention voiced America's appreciation of constructive service of financial institutions. He emphasized the opportunity the bankers have had in the critical days since the war in assisting in the progress of the country. He expressed regret that he was unable to attend the convention.

GREAT WESTERN TO TAKE MEN BACK SOON

According to a Message Received at Conception Junction—No. 3 Almost on Time

According to a message received by Joe Linninger, chairman of the shopcrafts union at Conception Junction, the Great Western railroad has made an agreement with their men and will take back all their men who went out on a strike as soon as possible. The nature of the agreement was not stated.

Wabash train No. 3 due in Maryville at 7:40 was only five minutes late in arriving here last evening. This train has been late here from forty minutes to several hours ever since the strike started in July.

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Girls Wade in Boston's Frog Pond

Can you imagine girls going wading in Boston's public frog pond? They did, the other day, but it was a part of the initiation of co-eds of Boston college into sororities, and the candidates peeled off their silken hose and waded into the cold water without a murmur.

"LOVELY WOMEN" TO GIVE CLOSING BILL TONIGHT

"Lovely Women," the troupe that is playing at the Empire Theater, will give its closing bill tonight. The show has attracted good crowds in Maryville, in spite of the fact that there was the opposition of a tent show last night. Miss Kathryn Purtell, soprano, got a liberal applause last night when she sang, by request, "My Isle of Golden Dreams."

WEEKLY BAND CONCERTS TO CONTINUE THROUGHOUT FALL

Will be Held as Long as Weather is Such as to Permit Them, Kutschinski Says

The weekly band concerts will be held throughout the fall as long as the weather is such that a crowd will enjoy being outside to hear it and as long as it is warm enough so that the members of the band can play outside with comfort, C. D. Kutschinski, director, said this morning. The program for the concert tomorrow evening follows:

March, "Worthy Sons of America"—Barnhouse.

Overture, "The Olive Branch"—Hazel.

Serenade, "An Autumn Romance"—King.

Waltzes, "Enchanted Night"—King.

Selection, "Aida"—Verdi.

March, "Pride of the Baritones"—King.

Overture, "Scarlet King"—Jewell.

Popular Hits

(a) "Dancing Fool"—Snyder.

(b) "Swanee River Moon" Waltz—Clarke.

(c) "Mary Dear"—De Costa.

(d) "Broken Hearted Blues"—Bargy.

March, "The Walkover"—Lake.

Star Spangled Banner.

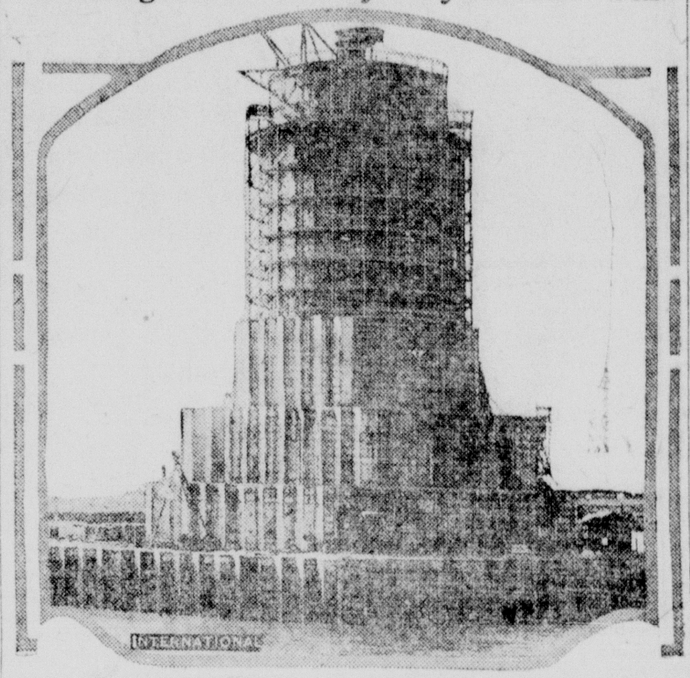
Burlington Agent Visits Here.

J. R. McKillip of St. Joseph, Missouri live stock agent for the Burlington railway, was the guest of W. E. Goforth, local agent, today.

Horthy Rules With Royal Pomp

Admiral Horthy, regent of Hungary, rules with all the pomp of a monarch. Appointing officers for the army becomes a regal ceremony with all the trappings of the days gone by. Here the admiral is appointing an officer by tapping him lightly on the shoulder with the flat of his sword.

Tearing Down a Mystery of the War



The great "tower of mystery" erected off Shoreham, England, during the war, is being torn down, and the public is still in the dark as to its purpose. The British government never has elucidated the mystery and perhaps never will. Apparently the tower was a solid mass of concrete.

German Bank Prints Marks on Silk

STADTSPARKASSE BIELEFELD ZAHLE CEGEN
RAVENSBERGER HILFMITTEL JORGENDER HAND STUTZE
ALTER HEIMATLAND STADT BIELEFELD

Paper for the printing of money recently became scarce in Germany, and besides the paper mark was worth almost nothing. So the bank at Bielefeld has been printing and circulating silk mark notes like the one illustrated. These are worth at least something in silk, or as curios.

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Scott Two-Stroke Motors

Opportunity Knocks. Yes

BUT SHE DOES NOT LINGER

You have the opportunity NOW, to buy an interest in the wonderful, simple and durable

Scott Two-Stroke Motors

A motor for Fords, without valves, springs, lifters, rollers, camshaft or camshaft bearings. A three-cylinder motor with but (7) moving parts in the block proper. A motor the equal of a six-cylinder and which gives the same number of power strokes each revolution as a six-cylinder motor of the accepted design. A motor with but one-tenth the parts or complication.

Also a farm motor, pronounced by mechanics the simplest, most durable, most fool-proof and easiest repaired in the world.

NEXT WEEK MAY BE TOO LATE.

A limited amount of interests in this motor for sale NOW. Those buying at the present time are in on the ground floor. As soon as I sell the remaining interests, and remember they are very limited, it cannot be bought for ten times the present price.

YOUR OPPORTUNITY WILL BE GONE.

I expect to make a million dollars. ARE YOU WITH ME?

SCOTT MOTOR CO.

SAVANNAH, MO.

CONNORS ELECTED CHEER LEADER

MISSES RAINES AND BROCK AND RUNYAN TO ASSIST.

RULES REGARDING GAMES

Spectators Are to Remain Off Field—Urge Students to Support Team.

Fred Connors of Maitland was elected cheer leader at the State Teachers College this morning. Misses Mabel Raines and Jeanette Brock and Richard Runyan were elected as assistant cheer leaders. The election took place at the weekly assembly which was held at 10 o'clock.

Connors is a senior at the College. He came here this fall from the University of Missouri at Columbia. While a student at the University Connors was a member of the Missouri Razzers, an organization fostering pep and school spirit at that institution. His experience as a Razzer gives him the necessary prerequisites for a good yell leader.

The assembly this morning was one of the most interesting so far held at the College. It opened with singing led by Charles R. Gardner, head of the Conservatory of Music. The new College song, "Alma Mater," was sung by the student as well as several other songs which Mr. Gardner introduced. The student body is taking an interest in the singing and some good results are being obtained.

Following the singing President Uel W. Lamkin of the College made a short talk relative to taking care of the spectators at the football games both of the College and of the Maryville High School. From now on spectators who are in the bleachers must remain there and no one will be allowed on the field but players and officials. Cars may be parked on the North side of the field and so that the occupants of these cars may watch the game from them, no person will be allowed to stand in front of an automobile on that side of the field.

Mr. Lamkin urged the support of the students for all the games whether they are played by the College or high school team.

The Rev. R. E. Snodgrass of the First Christian Church was the next speaker. He talked on the subject, "Does it pay to raise boys?" and he gave some good references. His talk was straight to the student body and it was made interesting by the use of smiles with which the students are acquainted.

After Mr. Snodgrass had talked the assembly was turned over to Jason Kemp, president of the Student Council. Kemp talked for a short time on school spirit and then introduced Howard Leech of the Council.

Leech also mentioned school spirit. He told of the lack of it in the past and asked for a showing of it this year. He said, "This year the football squad is larger and is made up of better players, than ever before. We have a splendid coach and will have a better team than ever before if the school will give its support."

Leech also read a resolution by the Student Council to the effect that the Council had decided that it was the duty of every student of the school to remain in Maryville during the Northwest Missouri Teachers meeting, October 12, 13 and 14 and to assist in entertaining the visiting teachers. Another resolution, made by the junior class, to the same effect, was read by Prof. Harry A. Miller.

Following the talk by Leech, the election of the cheer leader was held. After this a short time was given over to yells.

The assembly was longer than usual, lasting until 11:30 o'clock.

Murguia To Durango

Mexico City—October 4—General Francisco Murguia, Mexican rebel leader, with 125 men crossed the frontier from the state of Coahuila into Durango, according to war department advices today. The federals are in pursuit and a battle is expected.

Wadleys Return From Visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wadley returned last night from a week's visit with Mrs. Wadley's brothers, Judd Harrison of St. Joseph and R. F. Harrison of Kansas City. They motored home from Kansas City.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

All monthly city subscriptions are now due. These must be paid in advance the first of the month to get the monthly rate. Be sure to pay only your carrier boy, who is authorized to collect, or at this office.

The Democrat-Forum.

WILSON HEATERS

They are economical in the use of fuel, heat quickly, look nice and last a lifetime. Prices, $12 to $20.

Other good Sheet Iron Heaters $4 to $9.

YOUR HEATING PROBLEM

can easily be solved by a visit to our store, as we carry a most complete line of

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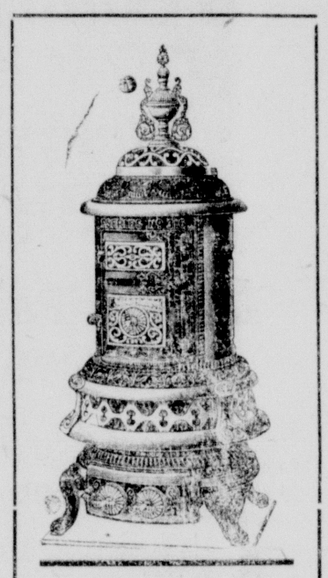
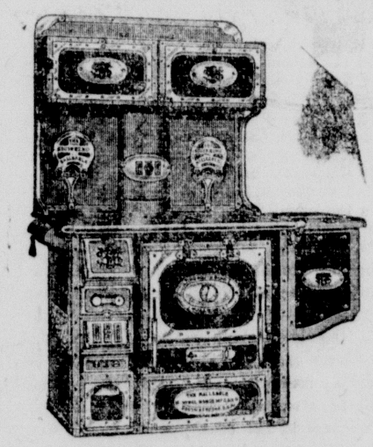
for both wood and coal. Also the well-known **Perfection Oil Heaters and Stoves.**



Estate Oaks

The leading coal heating stove of the country. They have been used in Maryville for years and every owner recommends them. We have a full line at prices ranging from $50 to $62.

Other Oaks, good ones, at $22 to $33.



Ranges and Cook Stoves

We sell the Malleable Range, made in South Bend, because we know it is good. A patron who has used one 23 years, said a day or two ago that it had always given him good service and he bought another one. They sell for $100 and $110.

Other ranges at lower prices.

Good Cook Stoves at $25 to $80.

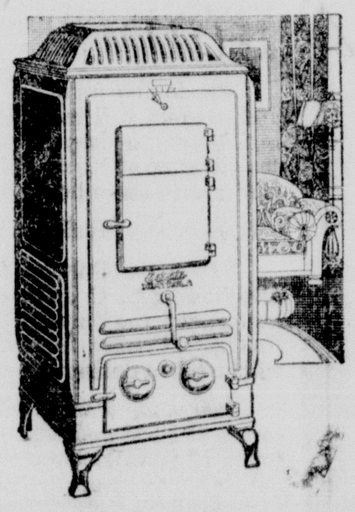
Estate HEATROLA

Looks Like a Phonograph

Heats 3 to 6 Connecting Rooms.

Estate Heatrola embodies new principles. It is not a stove, but a furnace that circulates great volumes of warm, moist air throughout the house. It is finished in grained mahogany enamel to harmonize with finest home furnishings.

Come see the Heatrola. Let us explain its unique construction in detail.



Howard Wray Hardware

"GOOD MORNING, MR. JOLLYCO" SAYS GROCER TO IVORY SOAP SALESMAN.

New Form of Greeting Result of Newspaper Advertising.

Since the beginning of the present advertising campaign for Ivory Soap, which is running in this newspaper, salesmen for the Proctor & Gamble Company have received a new name.

When a Proctor & Gamble salesman goes into a grocery store now, the grocer looks up from his counter, grins, holds out his hand, and says:

"Good morning, Mr. Jollyco, what has Sally been doing lately?"

As you will remember, Mr. Jollyco is a character in the Ivory advertising—one of the group making up the Jollyco Family, its retainers, its friends and (in one case, at least) its enemy.

The fact that the grocers have taken Mr. Jollyco's name and applied it to Ivory Soap salesmen is sure proof that the grocers are reading this advertising—yes, even though it is written about a product which every grocer has known and carried in stock practically ever since he set up in business.

Well, of course, if the grocers are reading it, other people must be reading it, too—grocers are not a special class of human beings; what interests them must also interest the thousands of women and men who buy what the grocers sell. The result is that more and more Ivory Soap is being sold and used every day.

No one any longer doubts that the advertising of the right kind in the right medium sells good merchandise. But there are still a good many men with merchandise to sell who think their name or the name of their product is so well known and well thought of that advertising is unnecessary and would probably do no good.

The Ivory Soap advertising is one of the best examples we know of to illustrate the principle that nothing is too well known to be advertised. Ivory Soap is probably the best known product in America. It is used by millions of people every day. Yet the Proctor & Gamble Company will tell you not only that advertising has been one of the largest factors in bringing about this situation, but that if Ivory Soap advertising were stopped today, Ivory Soap sales would very soon begin to decrease—not because Ivory Soap would change, not because the salesmen would make less effort, but because people would forget about Ivory, other soaps would begin to take its place in their minds; younger people, who never heard of Ivory, would grow up and begin to buy soap which they HAD heard of.

The experience of the greatest advertisers in the country teaches us every day that there is never a time when an advertiser can afford to stop advertising.

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FEDERAL INCOME TAX PAID BY MISSOURIANS TOTALS $70,027,575

The net personal incomes in Missouri reported to the income tax department of the federal treasury for 1921, according to a report made public in Washington today, totaled $548,130,078.

The net corporation incomes totaled $226,302,500; and the com-total is $774,432,678.

The corporation income, it is explained, does not include the incomes of personal service corporations, which are listed under personal incomes.

The federal income tax for Missouri totaled $70,027,575, or 2.59 per cent of the total for the union.

The net incomes for Missouri and the tax revenues are classified as follows:

	Number	Net Income.	Tax.
$ 1,000 to $ 2,000	25,460	$39,862,192	$
1,000 to 2,000	35,366	52,760,972	675,262
2,000 to 3,000	20,984	47,814,570	
2,000 to 3,000	34,547	85,765,423	935,185
3,000 to 4,000	770	2,542,436	
3,000 to 4,000	17,272	59,418,363	911,006
4,000 to 5,000	208	927,640	
4,000 to 5,000	9,600	42,923,564	862,121
5,000 to 6,000	4,278	23,306,877	528,887
6,000 to 7,000	2,941	19,029,859	524,844
7,000 to 8,000	2,045	15,291,014	510,635
8,000 to 9,000	1,425	12,063,643	463,933
9,000 to 10,000	1,083	10,286,532	449,666
10,000 to 11,000	826	8,647,819	409,181
11,000 to 12,000	674	7,722,573	389,425
12,000 to 13,000	575	7,172,569	402,089
13,000 to 14,000	445	6,000,196	341,456
14,000 to 15,000	378	5,473,049	339,845
15,000 to 20,000	1,233	21,268,516	1,470,527

Cutting Soybeans at S. T. C.

The soybean crop is being harvested at the State Teachers College farm. Prof. W. W. Stanfield, who has charge of the farm, says that the crop is a very good one but probably no better than it has been other years. He says that it is the plan to thresh the beans in about two weeks.

Dan R. Baker and Ellis Cook will go to St. Louis tonight on business.

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The only gift that you can make that only you can make—Your photograph.

Now is the ideal time of year to make your sitting.

Phone Your Appointment—Please. Han. 117.

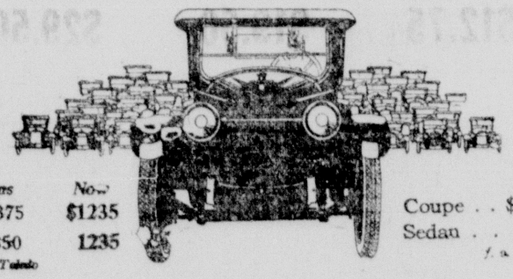
Ralph Marcell
Photographer

A NEW LOW PRICE

1235

Toledo

Most efficient of all motors; sleeve valve motor improves with use, no valves to grind—no springs to weaken, no carbon trouble—no adjustments. Eight Timken bearings in front axle; easiest of all cars to steer; rear axle of exceptional strength; improved clutch with positive, smooth action.



	Was	Now		Was	Now
Touring	$1375	$1235	Coupe	$1875	$1795
Roadster	1350	1235	Sedan	2095	1950

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Sewell Auto Co.

West Fourth St.—Maryville

WILLYS-KNIGHT

Nodaway County School Day

Wednesday, Oct. 11

Nodaway County's Biggest Day!

Largest Parade of Floats ever Shown in the County

Largest Parade of School Children Ever Seen in Nodaway County

Cash Prizes

Every school entering the parade Wednesday, October 11 at 2:30 p. m., will receive at least $5.00 in prize money, and the best eight floats will receive prizes as follows:

1st—$75.00	5th—$30.00
2nd—$60.00	6th—$20.00
3rd—$50.00	7th—$15.00
4th—$40.00	8th—$10.00

Points on Which Floats Will be Judged

The floats will be judged on three degrees of merit, as follows: First, on general appearance; second, on originality of conception expressed and it is left to the individual school and teacher to select the subject they wish to represent; third, quality of the exhibit, as agricultural, school handwork or displays of any sort in keeping with the general idea.

No rural school is barred from competing for any of the prizes offered. Historical events coupled with farm products and school work is just the same as if it was purely agricultural.

Program

Nodaway County School Day, October 11, 1922

All floats will come to the Franklin school, on North Main street, get entrance cards and be ready for the parade, not later than 12:00, noon.

10:30 a. m. Nodaway County Band will march from corner of Second and Main around the square and to band stand.

1:00 a. m. Music by the Nodaway County Band.

12:00 Noon. Nodaway County Band will march in a body to the Main Street M. E. Church, where they will all eat dinner together. The dinner will be in charge of Chas. R. Gardner, Dean of Music at the State Teachers College.

Picnic dinners of the rural school children, teachers and patrons, will be on the court house lawn, where the Smith-Hughes class of the Maryville High School, under the direction of Misses Elizabeth Leet and Katherine Carpenter, will serve hot cocoa free.

11:00 a. m. Music by the Nodaway County Band.

2:00 p. m. Parade of rural school Floats, under the direction of C. C. Hellmers, chairman of parades committee, and the parade will be led by ex-service men of Nodaway County in uniform. (Movies of the Floats will be taken during the parade).

3:00 p. m. Parade of rural school children, from the corner of First and Main, north on Main, under the direction of C. C. Hellmers, chairman of the parades committee, led by ex-service men of Nodaway County oin uniform. (Movies of children will be taken in parade.)

3:30 p. m. Exhibition Drill, by the DeMolay Drill Patrol.

4:00 p. m. Awarding of the prizes at the band stand by Uel W. Lamkin, president of the State Teachers College.

7:00 p. m. Special program of music, and stunts by the High Schools of Nodaway County.

Special Prizes

To the school bringing float the farthest—One Toledo Steam Cooker, $12.00—Cummins-Wray Furniture Co.

To the school bringing float the farthest—$10.00 in money.—Real Estate Bank.

To the school bringing float second farthest—Sufficient curtain material for their school house.—Joe Cohn.

To the school bringing float the third farthest—First Aid Cabinet, complying with requirement of New York State Law, value, $10.00.—Koch Pharmacy.

To the school having the best display of corn and greatest variety on their float—$10.00 in money.—Farmers Trust Company.

To the school having the best display of Vitalized Agriculture Work — Hand saw, square, hammer and jack plane, value $10.00—E. C. Phares Hardware and Lumber Co.

To the school bringing float and largest delegation from their district—One basketball, value $5.00.—Kuchs Brothers, Jewelry.

To the school having the most original idea for float—10 school Records, value $7.50—H. L. Raines, Jewelry.

To the school float depicting the best episode of Missouri History—A ten-dollar gold piece.—Twentieth Century Club.

To the school folat depicting the best episode of Revolutionary History—A ten-dollar gold piece.—D. A. R. Chapter.

To the school bringing float the farthest—One year's subscription to Maryville Tribune.

To the school bringing float the farthest—One year's subscription to Democrat-Forum.

For the best representation of names of school by float—Fifty feet of "MOVIE" pictures taken of school house and children. Value $25.00—Ralph Marcell.

To the elementary grades of the rural schools for the largest number of points obtained by multiplying the per cent of enrollment in attendance by the distance from your school to the county court house. First prize—Weight and measure cabinet, valued at $20.00.—D. E. Hotchkin.

To the rural school scoring the largest number of points obtained by multiplying the number of pupils from the district in the parade by the number of miles from the school to the county court house. First prize—One burner oil stove, valued at $6.25.—Lowry Hardware.

To the school having the largest number of pupils in the parade. First prize—one household graining cabinet complete, valued at $6.00.—Gaugh & Evans, south side druggists.

Additional prizes may be added later for 2nd, 3rd, etc., if so they will be awarded by lot.

Society

To Meet at Ashford Home

The Oakwood Literary Club will be entertained Friday night at the home of Miss Thelma Ashford.

Mrs. Bellows Hostess

Mrs. Dale Bellows was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Club this afternoon at her home, Parkdale Farm. Guests of the club were Miss Mildred Bellows and Miss Ora Barmann.

Eckles Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eckles will be hosts at a 6 o'clock dinner this evening at their home, complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. Lyge Sharrow and son, Curtis, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Downing and daughter, Marguerite, of Golden, Ill., and Miss Emma Wallace of Camp Point, Ill., who are visiting relatives here. The guests will include, in addition to the Illinois visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey Lyle and son, Chester Lyle, and Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Lyle.

For California Visitor

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ogden were hosts at a 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at their home, south of Maryville, in honor of Mr. Ogden's uncle, Charles Stanley of Long Beach, Cal. Additional guests were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ogden and son, Homer, and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Mongomery and children, Jean and James Franklin. Mr. Stanley, who arrived in Maryville Monday morning for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ogden, left last night for his home. He came here from North Dakota where he had been on business.

McNeal Reunion

The annual reunion of the McNeal families was held Sunday at the home of Miss Della and Nannie McNeal and Marvin McNeal, six miles northeast of Maryville. A basket dinner was enjoyed at noon. In the company were Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Nelson and son, George, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Norris, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lorsen and daughter, Burdella, of Guilford; Ephriam McNeal and Mr. and Mrs. Irl McNeal and son, Irl, Jr., of Meadville, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ripley and son, Orville, Frank and Roy McNeal, Allen McNeal, Jr., Mrs. Mary T. Moore and daughter, Lillie Belle, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred McNeal and daughters, Verna May and Mary Catherine, Ernest Hodgins and son, and Mrs. Mary Brownlee of Maitland, Misses Della and Nannie McNeal, Marvin McNeal, Mr. and Mrs. Otis McNeal and sons, Otis, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Oliver McNeal and son, T. J., and Mrs. Florence McNeal.

Met at Curnutt Home

The October meeting of the Young Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church was held last night at the home of Mrs. Marve Curnutt on West First street. Mrs. E. R. Miller, Mrs. Guy Haller and Miss Edith Wolcott were the assisting hostesses. Mrs. G. E. Brumbaugh, the new president of the society, presided at the business meeting. The members voted to extend an invitation to the Des Moines branch of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society to hold its annual meeting in Maryville October, 1923. The Des Moines branch includes four states, Missouri, Iowa, Arkansas and Louisiana. The business meeting was followed by the program with Mrs. N. H. Brown as leader. Mrs. Edith Glenn and Miss Ruth Matter participated in the program which was concluded with a pantomime, "That Sweet Story of Old," by Virginia Bennett. At the close of the program a social hour and refreshments were enjoyed. Miss Gladys Wray of St. Louis, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Curnutt, Virginia Bennett, Dorothy Glenn and Marjorie Curnutt were the guests of the evening, and there were fourteen members present.

Royal Neighbors to Meet.

The Royal Neighbors will meet at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Modern Woodman hall.

Thursday Bridge Club.

The Thursday Bridge Club will be entertained Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. A. Brewer on South Main street.

Lamkin Reception.

Uel W. Lamkin, president of the State Teachers College, and Mrs. Lamkin entertained the faculty members at a reception Tuesday night at the College residence. Receiving with the hosts were Dean and Mrs. George H. Colbert, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rickenbrode and the new members of the faculty, Mr. and Mrs. Luther A Richman, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Parteh, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene A. Maynor, Miss Margaret Franken and Miss Mattie Dykes. The rooms were decorated in varicolored autumn flowers, arranged in vases and baskets. In the dining room Mrs. Parteh and Mrs. Richman poured, and assisting in serving were Miss Mary Wooldridge, Miss Franken, Mrs. Maynor and Miss Minnie James. Other assistants included Mrs. Henry A. Foster and Mrs. Rickenbrode. Mr. Richman, the new teacher of voice at the Conservatory of Music, gave a program and was accompanied on the piano by Miss Alice Welling.

Mr. Richman's selections included: "Lord God of Abraham" (Mendelssohn;) "Alla Trinita Beata," Italian Plain song; "Star Vicino," Old Italian; "All Through the Night," Welsh Folk song; "When Love is Kind," Irish Folk song; "Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes," English Folk song; "Nobody Knows de Trouble I've Seen," "Little David," Negro Spiritual; "Until" (Sanderson;) "In the Time of Roses" (Reinhardt;) "Stuttering Lovers" (Hughes;) "Duna" (McGill;) and "Mother O'Mine" (Tours.)

Picnic Supper at Park.

Members of the Philathea Sunday School class of the First Christian Church will entertain the boys in the class taught by A. S. Robey at a picnic supper this evening at the College Park. The hostesses will be Miss Vella Booth, teacher of the Philathea Class, Misses Fay Hornbuckle, Alice O'Banion, Margaret McMurry, Olivette Barrow, Marie Chandler, Roberta Cook, Lota Claire Landfather, Mildred Massie, Pauline Eckert, Margaret Louise Hosmer, Hattie Culver, Mabel Geist, Opal Thummel, Mina Hughes, Merle Lyle and Opal Hantze.

Westminster Guild.

A business meeting of the Westminster Guild of the First Presbyterian Church was held last night at the home of Miss Helen Todd on West Third street. The members decided to observe guest day with a progressive luncheon on the evening of October 17. The four course luncheon will be served at the homes of Mrs. R. C. Person, Mrs. Emery Airy, Mrs. S. P. Allison, and Miss Todd. Plans for the Guild year were discussed and at the conclusion of the business session refreshments were served.

Circle No. 3 Meets.

Circle No. 3 of the Women's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church met last night at the home of Mrs. J. F. Cook on South Buchanan street. There were twelve members present and the Rev. J. A. Cooper was a guest. "The Influence of the Bible" was the topic for discussion and papers and talks on the subject were given by Miss Bernice Cast, Miss Irene Lowry, Mrs. Lewis Payne and daughter, Frances, Doris Walker, Mrs. C. M. Shelton, and Miss Eva Davis. The November meeting of the Circle will be held with Mrs. Kari Malotte.

DISCOVER PLOT TO SEIZE MINISTERIAL POWER IN ROME

Rome, October 4—A conspiracy of the Italian Fascisti to the ministerial power of Rome was erported discovered today. According to plans the Fascisti, at the forthcoming celebration of Italy over the defeat of Austria, were to mobilize here and seize all the public buildings, dissolve parliament, call a new election, and summon the king to form a new cabinet with nationalistic aspirations.

FINDS EUROPE JAZZ MAD

Frederick Stock, conductor of the Chicago Symphony orchestra, who has just returned from a 90-day stay in Europe, says that part of the world is jazz crazy.

LATEST PARIS GOWN

Paris first decreed stockingless legs, sleeveless gowns, and other such fashion extremes, and now comes the gown without a bodice, or at least with much less than usual. Our photograph shows Mlle. Rhahna, the beautiful dancer who has created a sensation in Paris with her new frocks, composed mainly of voluminous skirts and bodices of pearls and lace.

TACKLING A HUGE JOB

Walter C. Loudermilk, civil engineer and forestry expert, with his bride of a few weeks, photographed at San Francisco just before sailing for China. Loudermilk will tackle the stupendous job of freforesting China, thus bringing back the soil to productivity, preventing floods and famine and creating new industries that will employ millions of people. His wife was formerly Miss Inez Marks of Pasadena, Cal., for five years a missionary in the Orient.

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COUNTY COURT GIVES $100 FOR NODAWAY CO. SCHOOL DAY

The county court made an appropriation of $100 for the Nodaway County rural school day to be held in Maryville next Wednesday. As many of the rural schools all over the county are to participate. The court was requested to appropriate money for that purpose.

The date for the showing of "Agriculture in Nodaway County," the agricultural films of the Chamber of Commeree, set ofr Friday night, has been postponed.

IT'S TOASTED
one extra process which gives a delicious flavor
LUCKY STRIKE
CIGARETTE

DEMOCRAT-FORUM GETS RETURNS ON WORLD SERIES

Are to Be Posted Each Day on Windows Inning by Inning—Come By Radio

The Democrat-Forum received the returns of the Giant-Yankee game this afternoon inning by inning through the Radio Supply Company. The returns were posted on the window of the Democrat-Forum office. It is the plan to give the returns in this way for each of the seven games, if the weather conditions are such as to permit the supply company to receive them.

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For the Folks at Home

Beautiful Photographs
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Rightly framed they are an elegant gift and add to the home that charm which nothing else can give.

Make appointments now and be ready for CHRISTMAS

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MARYVILLE'S REAL CITY STORE

An Unusual Assortment
of
New Autumn Frocks

$12.75 $19.50 $29.50

Here you will find the most beautiful and complete line of Ladies' and Misses' Dresses that we have ever shown. Here are frocks with Russian, Persian, Egyptian, classic Greek or Roman style details. Waistlines vary from the very low one of Russian origination to the prim, tight basque effects. Draped hip effects and the circular skirt are recent style modes.

Our stock of lovely new dresses include those of both silk and wool. Frocks of Canton Crepe, Crepe de Chine, Kittens Ear Crepe, Spiral Crepe, Poiret Twill, Tricotine, as well as Serges. These new things are made up according to the very latest dictates of Dame Fashion, and besides are very popular priced.

We are featuring, at this time a very unusual assortment of these beautiful frocks at..... $12.75, $19.50, $29.50

A visit to our Ready-to-Wear Department will convince you that we are prepared to serve your every need for the smartest costumes of the season's creations.

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Tonight

25-3c. 50-5c

LOVELY WOMEN COMPANY

Musical Comedy.

Also Richard Dix and Beatrice Joy in "POVERTY OF RICHES."

A PLEASANT PLACE FOR GENTLE FOLKS.

Revival Services

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CARL A. BURK LARAT, Plattsburg, Mo.
Pastor-Evangelist.

CHAS. A. KNOUSE, Pastor.

ORLO S. LINCOLN, Chorister.

BEGINNING SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8.

Song service beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Young in years, but old in experience, true to Book sermons will help all who hear him.

The choir will render splendid music and tone you up for the services in general.

Don't Be Content to Come Alone.

EVERYBODY WELCOME.

THE VALUE OF SAVING

"Save surely, steadily and wisely, so as to be able to spend judiciously in a time of need which will probably be greater than that of the present."

We welcome new accounts of One Dollar or more. We have a Bank Book waiting for you.

Oldest bank in the county. More than fifty years of service. Liberty Bonds bought and sold.

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NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
Maryville, Mo.

HOGS AT F. P. ROBINSON SALE BRING TOTAL OF $1,762

All Gilts—Range from $23 to $37—Lyle and Coil Pay the Top Prices

Sixty-six head of pure bred hogs sold in the F. P. Robinson sale at the Gray pavilion yesterday afternoon brought a total of $1,762. All the hogs were gilts, a large portion of them spring gilts. Following is a list of the purchasers and the amounts they paid:

D. Lehmer, spring gilt, $25.
W. H. Ketchum, Stanberry, $27.
Joe Thompson, $25.
Joe Thompson, $24.
Joe Thompson, $24.
Joe Thompson, $24.
Joe Thompson, $26.
J. B. Robinson, $26.
T. C. Coil, $28.
J. B. Robinson, $26.
J. B. Robinson, $25.
J. B. Robinson, $23.
J. B. Robinson, $24.
W. H. Bird, $27.
Joe Thompson, $24.
Eph Tilton, $23.
Joe Thompson, $26.
O. M. Crawford, $24.
W. H. Bird, $28.
O. M. Crawford, $24.
A. M. Suttin, $25.
T. C. Coil, $28.
W. H. Bird, $30.
Joe Thompson, $26.
Joe Thompson, $23.
T. C. Coil, $26.
Joe Thompson, $27.
A. M. Sutton, $25.
W. H. Bird, $28.
A. M. Sutton, $26.
Alex Lyle, Skidmore, $27.
W. H. Bird, $26.
Roy Lyle, Burlington Junction, $27.
Alex Lyle, $26.
Alex Lyle, $28.
Alex Lyle, $28.
Roy Lyle, $27.
Alex Lyle, $27.
A. M. Sutton, $28.
Roy Lyle, $31.
J. B. Robinson, $26.
Roy Lyle, $30.
J. B. Robinson, $27.
J. B. Robinson, $26.
Joe Thompson, $26.
Roy Lyle, $25.
Roy Lyle, $25.
Joe Thompson, $25.
Roy Lyle, $28.
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J. B. Robinson, $27.
Joe Thompson, $24.
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Joe Thompson, $24.
Roy Lyle, $24.
J. B. Robinson, $23.
J. B. Robinson, $23.
J. B. Robinson, $22.
D. Lehmer, $36.
Roy Lyle, $37.
Roy Lyle, $36.
T. C. Coil, $37.
Roy Lyle, $36.
E. R. Russell, $31.
Leo Roney, $25.
Guy Wray, $23.

STAY IN THE BLEACHERS OR YOUR CAR AT FOOTBALL GAMES

If You Don't You Are Obstructing Some One's View—Students Told to Observe Rules

An effort is being made to get a system for handling the crowds at the football games at the College field this fall such that it will make it possible for the spectators at the games to get the best service possible.

It often happens that crowds at games do not stay in the bleachers but insist on getting on the side lines. This practice obstructs the view of many people in the bleachers and many in motor cars about the field. President Uel W. Lamkin of the State Teachers College and Superintendent L. E. Ziegler of the Maryville High School each announced to their student bodies this morning the rules regarding handling the crowds at the games and asked that the students do their part to help carfy them out.

The south side of the field is for spectators who walk or who leave their motor cars to see the game. No one is to be on the field on that side with the exception of the officials.

The north side of the field is for the parking of motor cars and no one is to stand in front of the cars on that side and thereby obstruct the view.

M. H. S. FOOTBALL SEASON TICKETS ON SALE TODAY.

The season tickets for the games of the Maryville High School football team were put on sale today. They are good for three of the four games that will be played in Maryville between now and November 4. The prices of the season tickets is $1.00. Maryville's first game at home will be Friday, when she plays Rock Port. There are to be five games at home this year, but the fifth one will be after November 4 and season tickets will not be good for it.

To Kansas City.

Miss Hettie M. Anthony and Miss Helen Todd left this afternoon for Kansas City, where they will visit the remainder of the week.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads

DEMAND FOR RELIGIOUS BOOKS THIRD AT CARNEGIE LIBRARY

But That for Books of Fiction Is Away Beyond All Others—History Is Second

The demand for books on religion ranked third in the calls on the general department at the Carnegie Library during the months of September, according to the monthly report of Miss Grace Langan, librarian, made last night at the meeting of the city commissioners. But the demand for books of fiction was away and beyond all others. Five hundred and ninety-five persons asked for books on fiction, seventeen wanted books on history and fourteen books of religion. Books on literature ranked fourth with thirteen calls.

The library was not open the first six days of the month, which tends to make the totals in some cases smaller than they would otherwise have been.

Following is the report:

Loan Department

Fiction—241
Non-fiction—20
Total—261

General

Fiction—595
Biography—5
Bound magazines—2
Philosophy—2
Religion—14
Sociology—4
Natural Science—10
Useful arts—5
Fine arts—5
Literature—13
History—17

Magazines Lent

Children's—2
General—134
Total—136

Total number of books and magazines lent—1,069
Average per day—48
Readers' cards issued—53

Readers in Reading Room

Periodical room—1162
Children's room—244
Reference room—224
Sunday readers—96
Total number of readers—1726
Average per day—69

Collections

Miscellaneous—50 cents
Fines—$9.49
Cent a day—$4.38
Total amount collected—$14.37.

Mrs. Rickenbrode to Topeka.

Mrs. W. A. Rickenbrode will leave tomorrow morning for Topeka, Kan., where she will visit at the home of her father, William Beauchamp, for a week or ten days.

BEARCATS TO KIRKSVILLE TOMORROW MORNING

Game Comes Friday Afternoon—Bulldogs Have Eleven Letter Men on Squad.

The State Teachers College Bearcats will leave at 8 o'clock tomorrow for Kirksville, where they will play the Kirksville Bulldogs Friday afternoon. They will go in motor cars to Pattonsburg and from there take the O. K. to Kirksville, arriving there at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. They will take a light workout after arriving in Kirksville. The team will start back to Maryville about 8 o'clock Friday night.

Coach Eugene A. Maynor said this afternoon that he was not able to announce who would make the trip as members of the squad.

The game will be the opening one for Kirksville. She has eleven letter men on the squad.

BARNUM'S RULE APPLIES IN JAPAN AS ELSEWHERE

Tokio, Oct. 4.—They'er born in Japan just as frequently as in other parts of the globe. Recently a man climbed Mt. Fuji and started a thirty-day fast, his object being to induce the sun to rise twice on the Emperor's birthday. Friends put him under control.

A day or two later police at one of the imperial palace gates arrested a man who demanded an audience with the Emperor. He said that he had a dream the night before in which the gods instructed him to tell the Emperor of the nourishing value of beans and peas. The last information given out by the police was that physicians were trying to determine whether or not the man was insane.

Announce Birth of Twin Daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bolin announce the birth of twin daughters this morning at their home, two miles southwest of Arkoe.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads

Don't Sell Your Poultry

Until After December 1st

As every farmer has plenty of corn, we would advise feeding poultry until after December 1st. The market is flooded now and will go lower unless receipts fall off.

Help the man who is compelled to sell by holding your young chickens.

Cook & Vogt

EAST SIDE SQUARE MARYVILLE, MO.

Phone, Hanamo 382—People's 166.

Horrah!!

The Kewpie Twins are Here

THEY are a little late due to the bad rail service, but like all good things, they are worth waiting for.

And we have always believed that the very best was none too good for the boys and girls of Nodaway County and vicinity.

So just to make you glad you've waited we are going to give away

FREE—A PAIR OF STILTS
with each pair of Kewpie Twin Shoes.

Now come ahead, your size is here and durability is built in each pair of Kewpie Twins and they are guaranteed to wear long, look better and protect the growing feet, at a price that all parents can afford to pay.

—Infant sizes, 3 to 5.
—Child's sizes, 5½ to 8.
—Child's sizes, 8½ to 11.
—Misses' sizes, 11½ to 2.
—Youth's sizes, 12 to 2.

Montgomery Shoe Co
THE FAMILY SHOE STORE

Beacon Lights of Business

ALONG perilous coasts, lighthouses throw their guiding rays far into the night to warn the mariners and help them safely past the shoals.

Business, too, has its beacons. They are the **advertisements**, which throw a powerful light to guide you in your buying. They show you what to buy, where to buy and when to buy.

Spend a few minutes a day running through the advertisements in this paper. Then buy the products that have proved up in the light of advertising.

Merchants and manufacturers who advertise deliberately focus thousands of eyes on their products. Their wares must be good, their values honest and their prices right or they could not advertise successfully.

In the advertisements you see products that have made good under the critical inspection of buyers. These products are **full value** products. They return you dollar for dollar. Buy them.

Let the beacon of advertising guide you as it is guiding so many astute buyers.

Then you can know that every cent you spend buys its full quoto of

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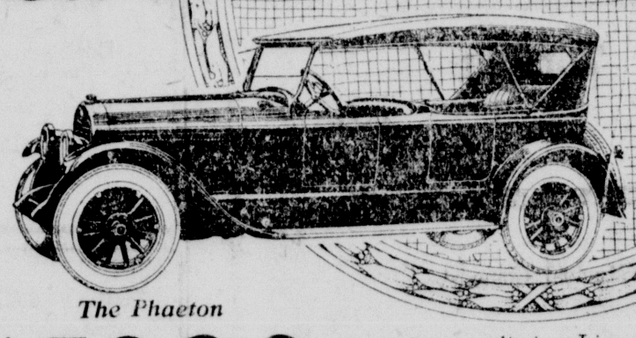
Get Behind the Wheel



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$3800
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Ten Body Types

Beyond contradiction, Lincoln occupies first place in every consideration of quality in automobile construction. It is easier riding, smoother running, sturdier under hard service, more readily handled, more flexible under control than any other car, regardless of price or claims.

These outstanding elements of superiority are the result of greatest mechanical accuracy ever realized in motor car construction.

Barmann Auto Co.

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THAT BRING RESULTS

Classified "want," one cent per word first insertion and one-half cent per word for each subsequent insertion, no advertisement for less than 25c

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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at The Democrat-Forum office: Lease of Farm, Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattle Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed.

FOR SALE—Residence with 6 rooms and bath, corner lot, located 5 blocks from square. Bargain if taken at once. Inquire this office. M31tf

FOR SALE—Papac ensilage cutter, No. 16; DeLaval separator No. 17; H. T. Wilson, Burlington Junction, Missouri. A19tf.

FOR SALE—New tops to fit your car. We guarantee a perfect fit and satisfaction. New tops and upholstering. Farmers Auto Supply Co., E. C. Bagby. 30tf

FOR SALE—Spotted Poland China boars, double immuned, good as grow. Jos. Jackson. S12tf

Corn huskers and mittens, Holt Supply Co. S23-O16

Wagon and stock scales, Holt Supply Co. S29-O9

FOR SALE—$500.00 note bearing interest at 7 per cent and secured on rail estate. Charles E. Stilwell, Maryville, Mo. S30-O6

NEWLON-ROBISON ARE DISSOLVING PARTNERSHIP AND WILL SELL OR TRADE A 1920 BUICK TOURING AT A BARGAIN. 2-4

APPLES FOR SALE—Choice, sprayed, hand picked Jonathans, 90 cents a bushel at orchard. Cider apples 20 cents. Phone 49-21 or call Roll Evans, Arkoe. 2-7*

FOR SALE—3 men's and 1 lady's suit, size 36, at a bargain. J. J. Turner, Merchant Tailor. 2-4

Crude oil and stock dip, Holt Supply Co. 2-12

FOR SALE—1922 Ford coupe, driven only 500 miles, 1921 Ford coupe in fine condition. These cars priced to sell. Maryville Motor Co. 3-5

FOR SALE—Bartlett pears, J. C. F. Taylor, Farmers 34-14. 3-5*

FOR SALE—Keever pears, 75 cents per bu., Wm. Sturm, Farmers 40-19. 3-5*

TELEPHONE BATTERIES AND HOT SHOTS. HOLT SUPPLY CO. 2-12

FOR SALE—20 head of good breeding ewes, a few rams, also, stack of hay. Aley and Doyle. 2-4*

PEARS FOR SALE—75 cents a bushel. 1004 East Second street. Hanamo 3248. 2-4

Electric Lamps, Holt Supply Co. 2-12

SORGHUM FOR SALE—At mill 6 miles N. W. of Pickering. 75 cents, bring containers. J. C. Hostetter. 2-4*

FOR SALE—Ford coupe good condition. Call Hanamo 129. 2-4*

Your Instructions Are Law With Us

When you tell us to clean, press or repair your clothes paying particular attention to certain things we follow your instructions.

THAT'S SERVICE

May we have the opportunity of convincing you that our general line of work is superior. Call 80.

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We Clean it or Dye.

MASTER DYERS AND CLEANERS — NATIONAL ASSOCIATION DYERS AND CLEANERS

Your Guarantee of Master Service.

TO WANT ADV. PATRONS

The Democrat-Forum has been accepting want and small classified advertisements over the telephone as a matter of accomodation, but some of our patrons have not appreciated this service. Please bear in mind that these small ads are cash business and that, when they are accepted over the telephone, it is only as a matter of accommodation and with the understanding that payment for same will be brought or sent to this office within three days. The amounts are too small to justify the opening of an account or sending out collectors. (tf)

FOR SALE—1921 Ford Sedan, A-1 condition, extra equipment, priced to sell. Inquire Corwin Murrin Clothing Co. 2-4*

PEARS FOR SALE—Just picked today, 75c per bushel, if you come and get them at 307 East Seventh St. $1.00 delivered. W. C. Frank. 3-5

RUMMAGE SALE—Friday, October 13, at Presbyterian Church. 3-5*

Buy your pears at Ray's Cash Grocery, 65 cents per bushel. 4-6

PEARS, delivered any part of city, 75c per bu. Hanamo No. 7. O. L. Holmes. 4-6*

FOR SALE—Purebred Poland China boars, long stretchy kind, big bone; also few gilts. O. M. Crawford, Barnard phone 1011. 4-6*

FOR SALE—Jonathans, 50 cents per bu. on tree. E. F. Shelton, Farmers 14-18. 4-6*

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR RENT—Modern 5 roomed apartment with hardwood floors and built in features. Case Furniture Exchange. J-8tf.

EXTERMINATE MITES WITH CARBOLINEUM, HOLT SUPPLY CO. 28-9

STRAYED—One black and tan female hound, 8 months old. Reward. Hanamo 30A 2-4

WANTED—A married man to work on farm. Call B. B. Staples, Burlington Junction. 2-4

WANTED—Men with teams and wagons to haul coal. Gray Fuel Co. 2-4.

Married man wants work by month or farm to rent, call Farmers phone 62 or 324 E. 4th street. 2-4*

FOR RENT—4 rooms downstairs, modern house. 216 West 11th St. 2-4*

RURAL TEACHERS ATTENTION! —Let me paint your banners and signs. Call on or write Ellis Meek, over Nodaway Valley Bank. 3-5*

FOR RENT—8 room house modern except furnace. Yeo Bros. 3-5*

SALESMEN—For country work. If you can sell life preservers on a sinking ship, see Mr. Smith 515N. Fillmore Farmers Phone 124-11. 3-5*

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, Oct. 4. — CATTLE—Receipts, 15,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 16,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 18,000.

St. Louis, Oct. 4.—CATTLE — Receipts, 8,500.
HOGS—Receipts, 11,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 3,000.

Kansas City, Oct. 4.—CATTLE—Receipts, 17,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 7,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 11,000.

St. Joseph, Oct. 4.—CATTLE—Receipts, 6,000; weak.
HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; top, $9.50; 40c lower.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,500.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Hens per lb.	15c
Light hens per lb.	12c
Hens, per lb.	16c
Leghorn hens per lb.	13c
Butterfat, per lb.	30c
Roosters, per lb.	5c
Springs per lb.	13c
Leghorn springs per lb.	10c
Hides, per lb.	9c

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Better Than Pills For Liver Ills.

NR Tonight

to tone and strengthen the organs of digestion and elimination, improve appetite, stop sick headaches, relieve biliousness, correct constipation. They act promptly, pleasantly, mildly, yet thoroughly.

Tomorrow Alright

Get a 25c. Box Your Druggist

An Eternal Question

I DUNNO WHETHER WE HAD BETTER TAKE A CHANCE OR NOT
OH, MERCY, I WOULDN'T TOUCH THEM- I WANT TO LIVE A WHILE
WELL, I SUPPOSE THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY TO FIND OUT- IF THEY KILL YOU THEY'RE TOADSTOOLS
THE SPECIES RESEMBLE THE EDIBLE ON THIS PAGE AND THE POISON VARIETY OVER HERE
(Copyright)

PARNELL NEWS.

(By Willing Workers).

Mrs. Monroe Spoonemore went to Sheridan Tuesday to visit for a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Streeter and her sister, Mrs. Della Davison.

Mrs. S. O. Miller visited her mother, Mrs. O. T. Hubbell, Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. Fr. Ambrose of Clyde visited in Parnell Tuesday afternoon.

Edward W. Gray and Rev. Snodgrass stepped in Parnell a few moments Monday afternoon. They were on their way to Eagleville, Mo.

C. C. Hellmers of Maryville was in Parnell on business Tuesday morning.

Adam Stephen was a dinner guest of A. T. Halls Sunday.

Miss Alverda Logan spent the week end at Ravenwood with her grandmother, Mrs. Alverda David.

Loren Long and family were in Parnell Sunday evening visiting relatives.

Miss Marie O'Day visited in Conception Monday afternoon.

Miss Dale McClelland of Garnet, Kansas and Miss Marie Wray of Sheridan were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Bird Sunday.

Carroll Rhodes of Mound City visited his brother and family, R. C. Rhoads, from Saturday until Monday.

Mrs. Lizzie Logan visited in Maryville Friday at the St. Francis hospital with her granddaughter, Sister Victoria and her daughter, Mrs. Ida Cassell, who has been at the bedside of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Katherine McMonigal.

Miss Rosetta Kless, Miss Georgia Gaynor, Mrs. Inez Cummins and Junior Miller motored to Maryville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bird entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Elias Echterling at dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Griffey and Mrs. Anna Leckhart drove out to the Ford apple orchard Tuesday afternoon and purchased apples.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Spoonemore went to Grant City Thursday evening on business.

Frank Reavis and family were visiting A. A. Thummel's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Baublits of St. Joseph were visiting in Parnell with his father, J. E. Baublits, Sunday.

Ray Baublits of Colorado Springs is visiting in Parnell with his father.

Sam Herndon of Wyoming is visiting here.

J. H. Herndon returned Monday from New York.

Mrs. Nellie Airy of St. Louis is visiting Prof. Broadbent and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Matteson left Friday for Columbia to make their home.

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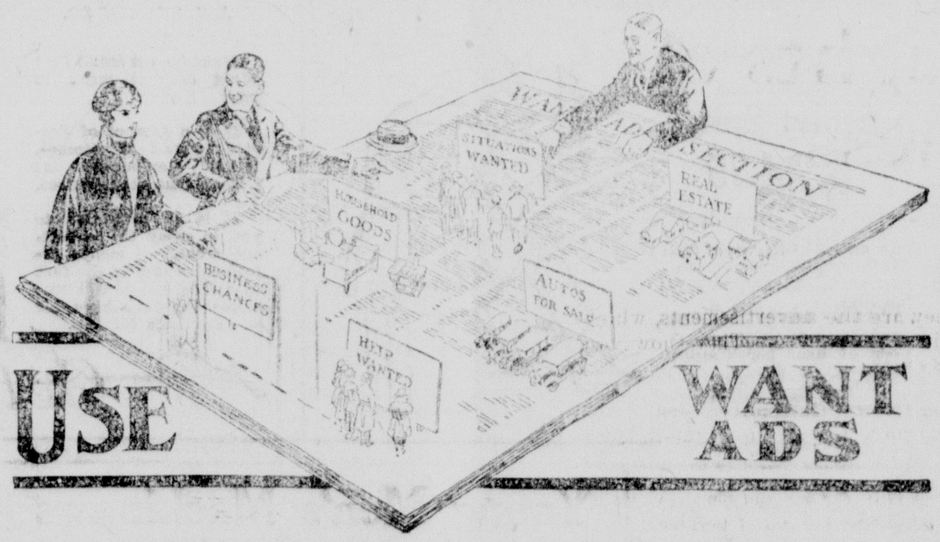

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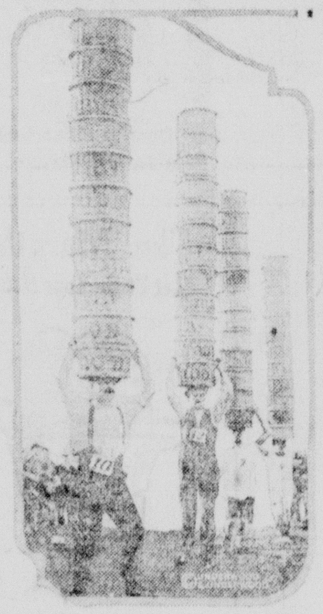
ROMANCE IN WASHINGTON

Mlle. Faute Dumont, daughter of the French military attache in Washington, and Capt. Georges Thenault, aeronautical attache of the French embassy, whose engagement has been announced.

NOVEL BASKET RACE



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MR. AND MRS. FRED NEWLON ARE TO LOCATE IN TEXAS

Will Leave Last of Week for Rio Grande Valley Where They Have a Tract of Land

Fred Newlon has disposed of the agency of the Chevroet automobile and parts to Oren Lanning who is in the tire and top business on the East side of the square. The partnership of Mr. Newlon and J. C. Robison has been dissolved, Mr. Robison continuing having the agency for the Nash car.

Mr. Newlon and family are intending to leave the last of the week for the Rio Grande Valley in Texas near Bonna. They will make the trip in their car. They will be accompanied by Charles McNeal, who lives near Mercedes, Tex. Mr. Newlon and family intend to remain in Texas until at least next spring and if they like the place will make their future home there.

Mr. Newlon has been a resident of Maryville for seven years, coming here from Clearmont.

Mr. Newlon and Mr. Robison have twenty acres in that valley in Texas. They will raise citrus fruit.

COMPARES AMERICAN ARMY TO INSURANCE COMPANY

Washington, Oct. 4.—Comparing the American army to a giant insurance company Major General James G. Harbord, deputy chief of staff, today charged that a widespread conspiracy exists to displace the old line insurance with much advertised substitute called disarmamen... He denounced the substitute as a fake being pushed in the interest of firms who are rivals of ours across the distant seas, especially in the Oriental trade. The general told this to the convention of reserve officers.

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Friday, Oct. 6
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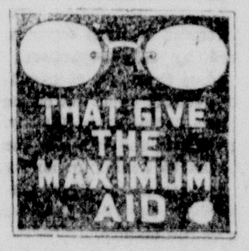

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and got into communication with the Nodaway Valley Bank and required them to file their bond, as such depository, in the sum of $250,000 which bond was filed on August 7, 1922, and by the court approved, said bond being made retroactive and covering the time from May 1, 1921, up to the time a new depository is designated.

By an agreement of the four banks of Maryville, the treasurer was instructed by the depository to divide the money into four equal parts and to deposit said money in each of the four banks, which the Treasurer did and which left three-fourths of the money unprotected.

The attention of the treasurer was called to Section 9586 R. S. 1919, heretofore cited in the Treasurer's report; also the attention of the Nodaway Valley Bank, the depository, was called to this section, whereupon the Nodaway Valley Bank, not wishing to deprive the other banks of their proportionate part of the public money, files a petition on August 24, 1922, asking to be relieved as such depository and asking that all four banks be named as depositories, all banks agreeing to pay the same rate as now received on daily balances, towit, 3 ½ per cent per annum.

At the adjourned September term of the County Court, it was ordered by the court that all of said banks be designated as county depositories and that they file bonds as such, which bonds were filed and by the court approved, and the treasurer was ordered to deposit the money equally in the four banks.

General Summary

In making up the anticipated revenue sheet the same is made to cover the calendar year in accordance with an opinion of the Supreme Court in the case of the state ex rel. vs. Allison, 155 Mo. 325, 56 S. W. 467 while the warrants issued are for the period covering the treasurers' year commencing February 1, and ending January 31.

We find some instances in which the taxes on real estate have been turned in delinquent by the township collector, and credit allowed him on his settlement for same, and they were placed in the back tax book and turned over to the County Ex-Officio Collector for collection.

The taxpayer being notified of the delinquency produces a receipt from the township collector for said tax, the County Clerk would order the Ex-Officio Collector to strike the same from the back tax book by making the notation "Receipt Produced," and the Ex-Officio Collector would be given credit for same in their annual settlement and no payment made by the township collector to the county.

We also found in some instances the Ex-Officio Collector had received payment of taxes and given receipts for same and then turned them in delinquent and never made payment to the County for same. This practice is absolutely illegal and the County Court should recover from collectors, both township and county, the amounts for which they have been allowed credit on this account which have not been paid to the county.

In making a County audit we are greatly handicapped on account of the difference in dates on which the different offices close their fiscal year. For instance, the fiscal year of the County Court commences May 1, and ends April 30; the treasurer's settlements are February 1 and August 1; the Collector's year from March 1, to February 28, while certain other officers settlements are for the calendar year, making it difficult to tie the report up with all offices.

The records of the county court show that they have made an appropriation for the use and benefit of the county health department. However, no separate account is kept for this department and the expense bills incurred by this department are approved by the superintendent and paid by the county court out of the general revenue found of the County, leaving no record in the office of the County Clerk as to actual amount spent for this purpose other than the original bills which are filed with other paid bills of the county.

It is our opinion that the better plan would be to turn over to the Superintendent of the Health Department the full amount of the appropriation charging him with the same and requiring him to settle with the County Court monthly, showing in detail the amounts expended and for what purpose, and also to require him to make an annual settlement at the January term of the court showing all money disbursed for the year and the balance on hand at January 1.

In checking the back tax collections of the Ex-Officio Collectors we were forced to make abstracts of the back tax books as none were on file in the County Clerk's office.

Our report on back tax collections is incomplete because the Back Tax Books for the years 1913 and 1915 were missing.

From the Back Tax Books covering the period from April 1, 1909, to March 31, 1913, we find the collections for state and county purposes to be $18,087.49.

The County Clerk's record shows that there was turned over for that period for the state and county purposes, the sum of $17,522.58, leaving a balance due of $564.91.

Collections are shown by the Back Tax Book from April 1, 1913, to March 31, 1914, were $5,124.09, while the County Clerk's record shows a payment of $4,758.74, leaving a balance due of $365.35.

Collections from April 1, 1915, to March 31, 1916, were $5,897.57 while the amount turned in was $4,862.64, leaving a balance due of $1,034.93.

We were unable to find tax books covering collections from April 1, 1916 to March 31, 1917.

For the period of time from April 1, 1917, to March 31, 1921, the collections were $14,821.44 while the records show only $14,586.04 paid in, leaving a balance due of $235.40.

We find that the County Clerks have not turned in excess fees collected by them, at the end of each year, as should have been done, but in some instances have not done so until the expiration of their term of office, other clerks having settled at the expiration of two years. We recommended that all excess fees due the County from this source be turned into the Salary Fund on December 31, each year.

We wish to thank the County Court and all other officials for their courtesy toward us and for the assistance rendered in making this audit. We wish especially to thank Mr. Charles F. McCaffrey, prosecuting attorney, for his assistance in this work.

Also, we wish to extend to the several banks of Maryville our appreciation of their cooperation in this manner and for their promptness in furnishing any information requested.

We wish also to thank the citizens of Nodaway County for their hospitality towards us while in their County and in closing wish to recommend that these audits be made every four years covering the period of each clerk's term of office.

The report is signed by Dan G. Stewart, Charles F. Mayer and Percy D. Beck.

PIERCE TRAVELS 1,000 MILES AND FINDS FEW BAD ROADS

Returns After a 12-Day Trip to Visit Eleemosynary Institutions of This State.

W. C. Pierce, who returned late yesterday from an inspection tour of the state eleemosynary institutions, says that in driving a distance of a thousand miles on the trip he did not find to exceed ten miles of road that could really be called bad. He said that he found evidence of grading and preparations for better roads in about every section of the state in which he traveled. He even found strips of fine concrete roads at some points away in the interior.

Mr. Pierce, who is a member of the state board directing the eleemosynary institutions: Mrs. Pierce, Dr. Ard, state health supervisor for the institutions; Mrs. Ard; Mrs. William Chaves of Dodge City, Kan., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pierce; Miss Lenore Schumacher and Clive Graves, left St. Joseph September 22, on the trip. They went to Nevada, Carthage, Joplin, Mt. Vernon, Springfield, Jefferson City, Fulton, Columbia, Boonville, Marshall, Carrollton, Chillicothe.

Mr. Graves left the party at Springfield.

EASTERN STARS TO ST. LOUIS SUNDAY NIGHT

Will Attend the Annual Meeting of Grand Chapter—A Number From the County.

A number of the members of Rosanna Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, will leave Sunday night for St. Louis, where they will attend the annual meeting of the Grand Chapter. The four days' meeting opens Monday evening with a reception. Mrs. John Price, worthy matron, will attend the meeting as a delegate from the local chapter, and other Maryville members who will attend are Mrs. H. S. Dowell, associate matron; Mrs. Wilfred White, secretary; Mrs. I. E. Tulloch, and Mrs. W. W. Stiwalt, district deputy grand matron. The Burlington Junction chapter will be represented at the meeting by Mrs. L. E. Miller, worthy matron, and Mrs. Bessie Gordon will be a delegate from the Hopkins chapter. There will be a delegate from each of the following chapters in Nodaway County: Elmo, Ravenwood, Parnell, Barnard, Skidmore, Quitman, Graham and Guilford.

Miss Corwin Returns

Miss Mae Corwin returned at noon today from Colorado where she has been visiting for over two months. Miss Corwin spent most of the time at Evergreen, a summer resort, and after leaving there visited in Loveland, Fort Collins and Denver.

Mrs. William Helpley went to Kansas City this morning for a visit with her daughter.

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TONIGHT ONLY—ALICE CALHOUN in "A GIRL'S DESIRE." One of Alice Calhoun's best pictures. Also one-reel comedy. Night 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 22c.

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